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Subject: COT Security Notification - Security Bulletins for December

COT Security Notification

Microsoft has just released the Security Bulletins for December which includes
six critical bulletins and **two important** bulletins. Various vulnerabilities are addressed in the bulletins. Details of the vulnerabilities and their impact are provided in the links listed.

MS08-070 Critical: Vulnerabilities in Visual Basic 6.0 Runtime Extended Files (ActiveX Controls) Could Allow Remote Code Execution (932349)
http://www.microsoft.com/technet/security/bulletin/MS08-070.mspx

MS08-071 Critical: Vulnerabilities in GDI Could Allow Remote Code Execution (956802)
http://www.microsoft.com/technet/security/bulletin/MS08-071.mspx

MS08-072 Critical: Vulnerabilities in Microsoft Office Word Could Allow Remote Code Execution (957173)
http://www.microsoft.com/technet/security/bulletin/MS08-072.mspx

MS08-073 Critical: Cumulative Security Update for Internet Explorer (958215)
http://www.microsoft.com/technet/security/bulletin/MS08-073.mspx

MS08-074 Critical: Vulnerabilities in Microsoft Office Excel Could Allow Remote Code Execution (959070)
http://www.microsoft.com/technet/security/bulletin/MS08-074.mspx

MS08-075 Critical: Vulnerabilities in Windows Search Could Allow Remote Code Execution (959349)
http://www.microsoft.com/technet/security/bulletin/MS08-075.mspx

MS08-076 Important: Vulnerabilities in Windows Media Components Could Allow Remote Code Execution (959807)

http://www.microsoft.com/technet/security/bulletin/MS08-076.mspx

 MS08-077 Important: Vulnerability in Microsoft Office SharePoint Server Could Cause Elevation of Privilege (957175)

http://www.microsoft.com/technet/security/bulletin/MS08-077.mspx

NOTICE: COT is providing this information so that you are aware of the latest security threats, vulnerabilities, software patches, etc. You should consult with your network administrator or other technical resources to ensure that the appropriate actions for these alerts are followed. If you are a network administrator and need additional information, please call the Help Desk at 502.564.7576.

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